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Serial No.: Not yet known
Filed: Herewith
For: DATA ARRANGEMENT, METHOD, DENTAL-
CARE-RELATED DEVICE AND SOFTWARE
PRODUCT FOR DENTAL-CARE QUALITY
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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September 29, 2006

Dear Sir:

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An English language translation of JP 2004-78705 A is not available at this time. However, an English-language abstract of this reference is submitted herewith. It is respectfully submitted that the relevance of this reference can be readily understood by referring to the drawings of the patent and corresponding English-language abstract provided.

Additionally, the non-patent reference entitled, "Wireless Telemedicine Systems: An Overview" is not available at this time. It is respectfully requested that the reference be made of record and that the reference be submitted at a later date.

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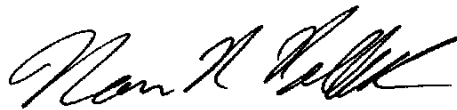
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Applicant respectfully requests that the examiner independently determine those items which the examiner would consider the most pertinent of all the references cited herein.

Applicant respectfully requests that the references be considered and made of record.

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Respectfully submitted,

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